## CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

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- 1. Following the publication in the Peiping People's Daily on 24 November 1954 of the Chinese Communist People's Court decision sentencing the so-called American imperialist spies who intruded by plane into the China mainland, endangering national security, anti-American and hate-America propaganda increased.
- 2. Between 25 and 28 November, in numerous theaters in Peiping, lantern slides displayed the following slogans:
  - The American spies John Thomas Donald and John Knox Arnold are executioners who would slaughter people of our fatherland.
  - b. It is the sacred duty of every citizen to look for and to catch spies.
  - Punishing American imperialistic spies is to protect the security of the people of the fatherland.
  - d. Punishment of American imperialistic spies is the unanimous demand of our people.
  - e. Punishment of American spies is a great victory for the fatherland.
- 3. Many anti-American cartoons were displayed on the streets. One caricatured the arrest of John Arnold, Commander 581 Air Supply and Communications Group, and his miserable life in jail.
  - Comment. Both names were translated from Chinese characters seen on the screen.

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